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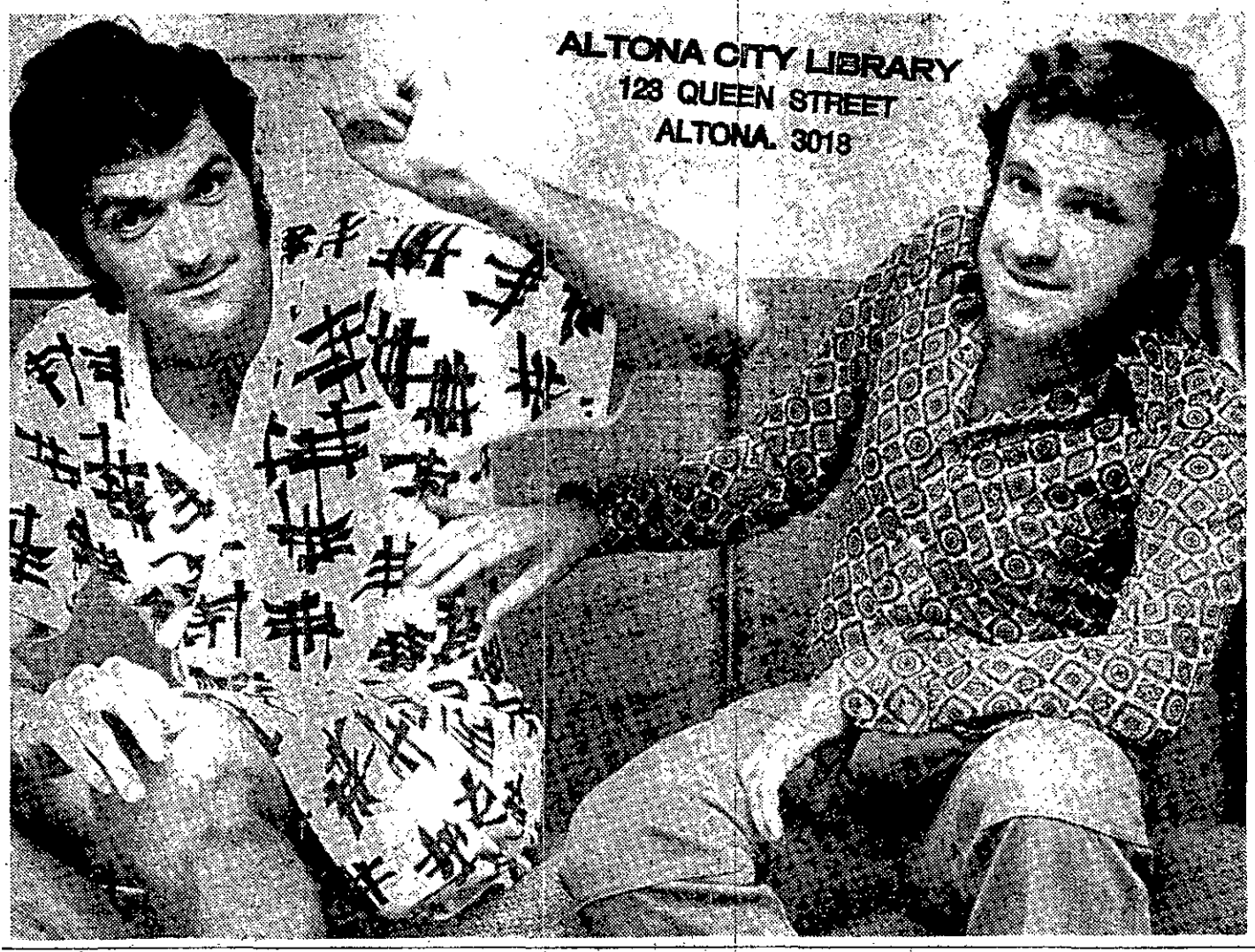

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Visit for the ump.

Injured VFL Umpire, and Altona resident, Bill Deller, pictured, left, and a welcome visitor on Monday night.

It was former VFL umpire, Ian Coates, right, a good friend of Dellers.

Deller tore ligaments in the lower part of his back while running around the boundary during the North Melbourne-St. Kilda clash at Arden Street Oval last Saturday.

He was carried from the field and spent a painful 36 hours in Williamstown and district hospital before going home.

He is likely to miss at least the first two VFL rounds.

It is a blow to the depleted VFL umpiring ranks. Six senior VFL umpires have retired in the past three years.

Deller, president of the Umpires Association said after the match: "It is going to be an inexperienced panel for the start of the season."

CITY FAREWELLS LIFE SAVER ROY

A capacity crowd of Altona councillors and citizens packed the Altona Life Saving Club last Saturday night during a "bon voyage" celebration for veteran life saver, Roy Edwards, and his wife Molly.

The Edwards are leaving Altona for New Zealand this Saturday so that Roy can take on a new position there. The business commitment meant that Roy had to resign as president of the club he did so much for.

His association with life saving dates back to 1935 and stems from his family who have been members of the Altona Club since its formation.

An active member of the club, Roy held every office and was president for the past three years.

He will be sadly missed by the club which he joined in 1939 and rejoined in 1951 after more than seven years in the navy.

Roy's dedication and plain hard work helped make the Altona Life Saving Club what it is today.

Guests at the farewell included Altona mayor, Cr. Ray Richards, Altona councillors, past and present members of the life saving club and friends in Altona.

. . . and remembers Matthew Flinders

More than 120 Altona people participated in the Matthew Flinders Bicentenary celebrations in Altona last Sunday afternoon.

A programme of events was arranged by members of the Altona Historical Society.

Councillors, community leaders and residents gathered at the Homestead building in Queen Street at 4.30 p.m. to welcome a runner carrying a flaming torch from Geelong to the Myer Music Bowl, in Melbourne.

Inclement weather forced the party to adjourn to the nearby senior citizens' club building where they witnessed a special production (in conjunction with the Bi-centenary) by the Altona Drama Group.

Miss Annete Foster sang a solo. She was accompanied by pianist Mrs. Bob Stringer.

The torch bearer arrived in Altona on time at 5.04 p.m. and after passing through a guard of honor comprising scouts and guides, he was welcomed by the mayor, Cr. Ray Richards.

Cr. Richards spoke about the life of Flinders and the contributions he had made to the nation's development.

The torchbearer then departed for Williamstown and the Myer Music Bowl where the flame was finally extinguished to mark the conclusion of the bicentenary celebrations.

The crowd at Altona was said to be the largest between Geelong and the City.

Beach gets face-lift

State government bodies have approved a proposal by Altona Council to build groynes and place coarse sand along the beach front between Pier and McBain streets.

The council will use moneys allocated to it under a $100,000 grant for beach improvements. The groyne building project has received the nod from the Ports and Harbors Division of the Public Works Department, and the Port Phillip Authority.

Reporting to council last Tuesday night, City Engineer, Mr. Ralph Simmons said installation of the groynes would commence as soon as possible.

He said tenders received for the supply and delivery of coarse sand to the Esplanade for beach improvements, would be submitted.

Coarse sand must be used for the project because fine sand is too easily washed away. Groynes already built along the beach east of the pier have helped to retain sand along the beach and have caused a build-up of sand banks.

GOOD RESPONSE TO REMISSIONS

Altona Council has already received 24 applications for rate remissions from pensioner ratepayers following the announcement last week of council's decision to contribute to annual rate reductions of $40 for pensioners.

Pensioners who have already paid their current rates are entitled to a rebate following a council approach to the Local Government Department.

The remissions are available to all ratepayers who are receiving the maximum pension. Application forms are available at the Altona Civic Offices.

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Val's Column

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Now here is a strange new word — Osmose. But what a word. It could mean so much to you — unless you are bald, that is.

Why could you need Osmose? Well, it has been a long summer with a lot of heat — and this is drying to your hair. So if your usual rinse or conditioner isn't doing its job — that's why girls. Osmose does more than normal conditioners. It replaces missing links — to restructure your hair, right through each single one.

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It you are not a lover of hair removing creams, you may be allergic to these; you may be a little timid to use a wax — then you still can have faith! Have you thought of a razor. A new one just out — Cressida for "ladies only". We hear and read all about the latest invention in razors — their blades, the angle, the easy ejector head. Now it is available to us too. An economical, easy-to-use blade razor.

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Pynes in forest

What could be a more natural setting for the Pyne family than a forest.

At least that's what family members must have thought when they chose the You Yangs Forest Park for their first re-union.

One hundred and four members of the Pyne family (pictured above) of Laverton attended the get-together organised by Mrs. Anne Aitken (nee Pyne) of Railway Street, Altona.

Fifteen members of the family could not attend.

Descendants came from as far afield as Wagga, N.S.W., Swan Hill, Charlton, Apollo Bay and many other districts.

The Pynes came to Australia from Devonshire, England, and were married in Geelong in 1912.

He and his wife, who was born in Prahran, lived in Watten Street, Werribee, until 1926.

They then moved to Laverton where their 11 children grew up and took part in local activities and sporting events.

Mr. Pyne was a cook at the Pt. Cook air force base. When he was discharged, he became cook at Cheetham Salt Works in Laverton until he died in 1943.

Mrs. Pyne was an active worker for the progress accociation, school committees and other groups. She died in 1946.

Most of the children remained in Laverton after their marriages and reared their children there.

Surviving children include Les, Anne (Mrs. Aitken), Lynda (Mrs. Swift), Albert, Bette (Mrs. Autten), Rita (Mrs. McCormack), and Percy.

Florence (Mrs. McKinnon), Eileen (Mrs. Williams), William, and John have died.

The dangerous schoolmate

Brian Maitland helped an old schoolmate. It was about the worst mistake he'd made. He finished in Williamstown Court last week on 13 charges of receiving stolen property and one of larceny.

Maitland, 21, of Watt St., South Kingsville, pleaded guilty.

"I should send you to prison," Mr. G. Hoare, SM, told him. But I won't in view of your previous good record, your youth and your young family."

Mr. Hoare fined Maitland a total of $480 and ordered him to pay $20 to his former employer as restitution for property he stole.

Constable Alan Grey told the court that he went to Maitland's home at 2.30 a.m. on Friday, February 8.

He found property that Maitland admitted having obtained from his "mate" Bill Hedgcock, for whom he had done some panel - beating work.

This included car radio speakers, cassette recorders, "mag" wheels, and other things. He admitted he knew they had been stolen.

He also admitted that he had stolen from his employer in Altona some electrical equipment he wanted for his fish tank. He had been asked to resign from the firm.

Const. Grey said Hedgcock was in Pentridge.

Maitland's little wife, Vicky, gave evidence that Hedgcock had been at their home while she was away at her sister's place.

"I told Brian to tell him to get out," she said.

Mr. Paul Willee said Maitland had got himself into trouble basically through his association with Hedgcock and his misplaced sense of loyalty.

Aged in west neglected

If children in the western region of Melbourne were neglected to the same extent as elderly people, there would be a public outcry, Mrs. J. M. Lockwood said yesterday.

Mrs. Lockwood, a vice-president of the Western Region Committee on the Ageing, was commenting on a report compiled by the committee after a widespread investigation.

The report, tabled at a public meeting at Footscray Institute of Technology, shows welfare services, health-care facilities and special accommodation for elderly people in the region are insufficient.

The committee's investigation was into what resources and facilities are available for the aged in the region.

Set up only last September, the committee undertook the investigation as its first task.

The report says the probe showed, in addition to generally insufficient services, the needs of elderly migrants were almost completely ignored.

The few services that did exist were concentrated solely on Australians, the report states.

The guest speaker at the public meeting, Mr. J. J. Ginifer, MLA, (Labor, Deer Park) stressed the need for early planning for retirement.

Mr. Ginifer, a newly elected vice-president of the committee, said people today needed two careers . . . "one paid and one unpaid, so that one has a continuity of interest after one is compulsorily retired or superseded".

Five groups

The public in general had a tremendous responsibility to improve conditions for the area's pioneers, he said.

The committee has five active work groups, with representatives and convenors from throughout the region.

In charge of these groups are:

Preventive care, Mrs. I. M. Lockwood; remedial-care, Dr. M. M. Velik; residential care, Mrs. Ruth Champion; finance, Mr. A. Bawden, public relations and education, Mr. G. Seelaf.

The executive officer of the Victorian Council on the Ageing, Mr. Jim Pedlesden, told the meeting the time had come for paid research into the needs of the aged.

He said he was "tremendously impressed" by work the committee had done and agreed with a submission it had made to the Western Region Council for Social Development, seeking finance to employ a full-time co-ordinator social planner to facilitate the committee's work.

It's difficult

Sunshine council's social worker for the aged, and secretary of the committee, Mr. Bernard Leeman, said some people had doubts about spending money on a social worker's salary.

But he stressed that planning services for the ageing was a "difficult and involved business."

"Negotiations with Government departments, such as the Hospitals and Charities Commission and the Department of Health, are complex and time-consuming," he said.

If this work was left to volunteers, it could take years before ageing people received the services they needed now, while a trained people could speed-up this process.

"And surely this is what we need," Mr. Leeman said.

"Money is available from State and Commonwealth sources, but we lack the local expertise on how to apply it. In the meantime, our elderly people continue to suffer.

Not prepared

Mr. Leeman said there were 33,904 aged people in the western region.

This was more than ever before and had created tremendous problems the area was not prepared for.

As many families grew up, the mother became superfluous and father was forced to retire, without the family giving much concern to their welfare.

Research showed that seven in every 10 Australian women became widows, yet few were emotionally or financially prepared for the loss of their husbands.

The number of aged people in the region was likely to increase faster than the total population, Mr. Leeman said.

Can you Help?

The Western Region Committee on the Ageing has called for help from the public in providing the necessary services to the aged in the region.

And Mr. J. J. Ginifer, MLA, has stressed that the time for action is now.

People seeking information on how they can help should contact Mr. Bernard Leeman, on 311 7066.

$3000 gift for Altona High

Altona High School is $3000 closer to its ground improvement fund target of $9000 thanks to a surprise donation by the Altona Petrochemical Company.

ASSEMBLY

Mr. Geoff Chambers, process manager of the company made the gift at a special assembly of the school last Friday.

School principal, Mr. Fraser McDonald, described the gift as "generous."

"It is tremendously encouraging for those of us who are working hard to obtain better facilities for the school.

"We also hope that this generous act might inspire other like minded organisations in the district to follow suit as much more is needed by the school," Mr. McDonald said.

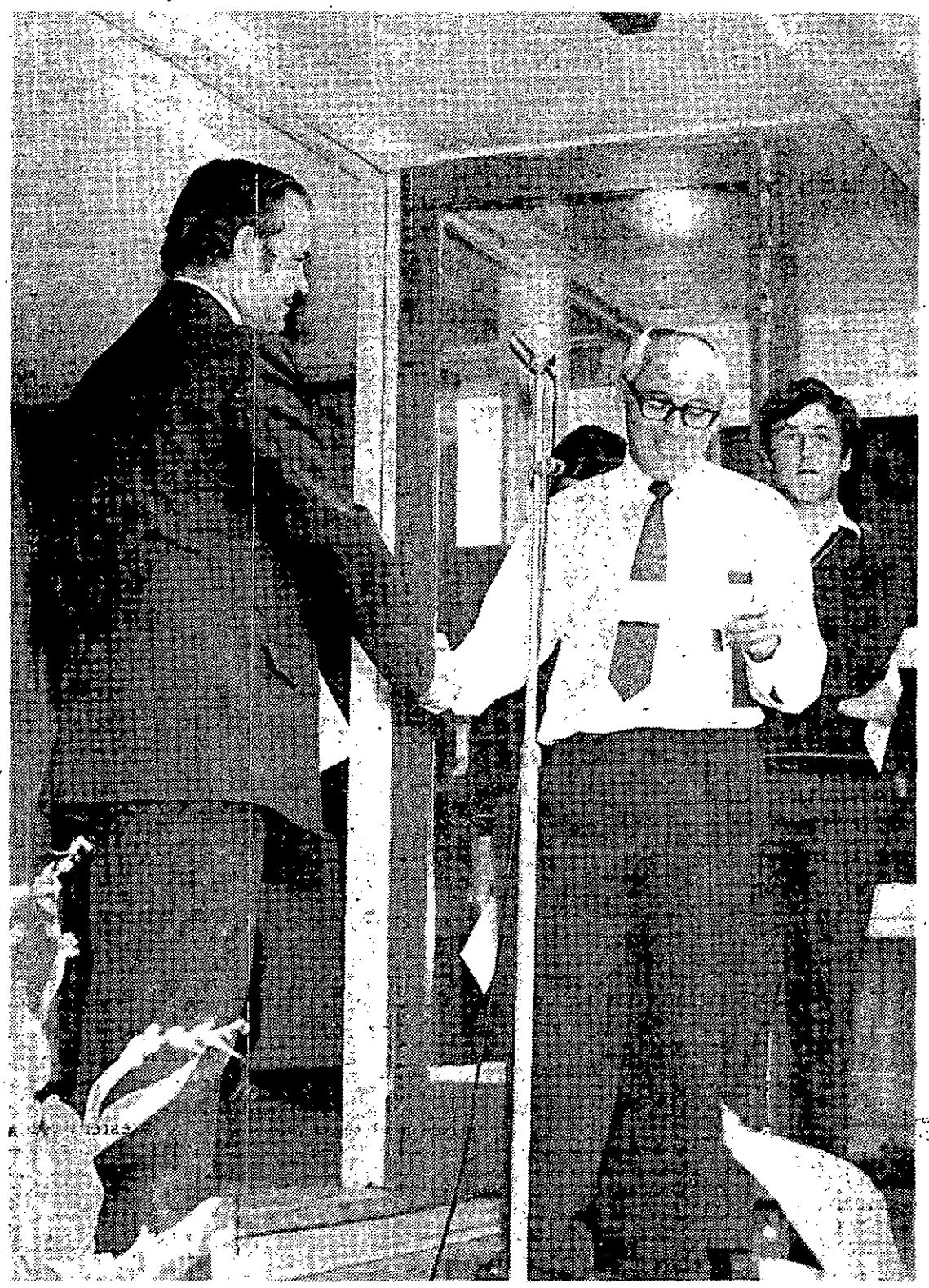
Mr. McDonald said that, based on last year's estimates, the amount should provide a multi-purpose court to be used for tennis, basketball, netball and physical education instruction.

The school plans three such courts as the first stage of its grounds development plan.

Cost of the three courts is estimated at $18,000 with the Education Department contributing half.

The company's gift brings the money raised by the school to $7862.

Plans and specifications for the courts are being prepared and tenders will be called as soon as possible.



● Altona principal, Mr. Fraser McDonald (right), shows his delight as he receives a cheque for $3000 from Mr. Geoff Chambers, process manager of the Altona Petrochemical Company.

Complaints of music pollution

Two complaints of noise pollution caused by musical instruments were among 11 pollution complaints reported by Senior Health Inspector, Mr. John Russell, at Tuesday night's council meeting. Mr. Russell said the owners of the musical instruments had been notified of the complaints against them.

Of the other complaints received by Mr. Russell since the previous council meeting, seven concerned deposits, one resulted from odors and the other from noise.

The complaints in the order received referred to:

- an odor problem in the Altona North area;
- a local noise problem;
- Altona North resident concerned at deposit material in atmosphere;
- Altona North resident concerned at discolored house paintwork;
- discolored house paintwork in Altona North area;
- Altona North resident advised of E.P.A. Officer calling and inspecting damage to house paintwork;
- build-up of deposits on house window sills and ledges in Altona North (three complaints);
- industrial noise problem.

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YOUR RATES AT WORK

City Engineer Mr. Ralph Simmons made the following report on council works to Tuesday night's meeting of Altona Council:

- Kororoit Creek Road-Duplication: The laying of 42-inch diameter drainage pipes in Kororoit Creek Road, east of Mainstone Street is nearing completion.
- Easement Drain East of Merton Street: The laying of 120 feet of 15-inch diameter and 500 feet of 12-inch diameter drainage pipes was completed.

Trenching and laying of pipes for the balance of the scheme is proceeding.

- Cherry Lake Improvements: Filling and levelling of the eastern fringe of Cherry Lake north of the Board of Works outlet channel was continued.
- Altona North High School—Ground Improvements: The area of sports ground recently filled and graded was seeded on March 15. A satisfactory strike has been achieved.
- A. W. Langshaw Reserve—Pavilion: The installation of electrical wiring is nearing completion.

Fitting of ceiling sheeting is in progress.

- Traffic Census: The annual traffic census undertaken on behalf of the Country Roads Board was carried out on March 12.

Details will be submitted when results have been tabulated.

- Beach Improvements: In connection with the grant of $100,000 for improvements to the beach, the Public Works Department, Ports and Harbors Division — and the Port Phillip Authority have advised that council's proposal to erect groynes and place coarse sand along the beach front between Pier Street and McBain Street has been approved.

The installation of groynes will be commenced as soon as possible.

- Tenders received for the supply of coarse sand delivered to the Esplanade for beach improvements will be submitted.

Numbers needed

Altona businessmen have been asked to give an after hours telephone number to Altona Police.

Station officer, Constable Alan Kennedy, told the **Star** that businessmen giving their after hours number to the police would be notified if their premises were burgled or burnt.

"We hope to have the co-operation of all the city's businessmen," Constable Kennedy said.

Numbers can be left with Constable Kennedy, or the duty officer at Altona.

LONG-TIME RSL MEMBER DIES

Mr. F. R. (Fred) Draper, a member of the Altona RSL Club since 1937, died Monday.

He was 84.

He lived in Raynor Street, Altona.

Mr. Draper was born in Parkes, NSW, and moved to Victoria after World War I.

During that war he served in the 56th battalion in France. His regimental number was 5086.

Mr. Draper worked as a leading hand with James Hardie and Co. for 20 years until his retirement.

His wife, Olive, died last January.

They celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary last November.

He is survived by his son, Billy, who is a life member of the Victorian RSL and who was manager of the Altona sub-branch until last week.

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CHICKEN AFTER CHESS LANDS TWO IN STRIFE

A joy-ride in a stolen car after a night at a chess club, nearly landed two young men in goal last week.

They drove only a couple of miles and then abandoned the car.

The pair are **Stefan Dorogi,** 20, of Empire Street, Altona, and **Christopher Noel Page,** 17, of Huxtable Avenue, Altona.

Dorogi, who pleaded to a car-stealing charge, admitted previous offences for assault, illegally using a car and unlicensed driving.

Mr. Hoare SM, had been told of Dorogi's happy marriage and steady work record, but he pondered over the youth's criminal record before admitting him to probation for two years.

And he ordered Dorogi to keep away from Page, who, he said, appeared to have "put him in" to police.

Page's case was heard separately. He pleaded guilty to four car-stealing charges, one of driving without a licence and one of giving a false name.

Mr. Hoare fined him $40 on each of the stealing charges and adjourned the other charges for two years.

It was a good moment for his anxious-looking mother. Fresh-faced Chris seemed pretty relieved, too.

The lads jumped into the car in Davies Street, Newport, on Saturday, February 23.

Dorogi said he didn't want to be in it, but Chris taunted him with "chicken" so he went along. He didn't drive.

Mr. Hoare: "This lad's 17. You're 20. You've had a conviction for the same offence. Why didn't you just say: It's not on?

"I don't know, sir."

Mr. Hoare was told that the Pages formerly lived at Laverton. They went to Sydney, but Chris came back to Melbourne, mainly because he missed his mates.

Constable Eric Bruton had stopped Chris in Altona at 2.30 a.m. on March 13. He gave a false name at first — "I didn't want mum to know" — but soon came out with the whole story.

He satisfied Mr. Hoare that he just drove the cars he took "for transportation" and left them.

Mr. Hoare: "You are convicted. These are serious offences, but you are very young and apparently have not been in trouble before.

"You seem to have been leading a vagrant sort of life.

He had told of doing "casual" laboring work at markets.

"Your parents take an interest in you. You must leave Victoria immediately and not come back for two years."

'LOSER' IS DOWN AGAIN

Winston Fane-Thompson had the look of a loser when he got into the witness box at Williamstown Court last Thursday to try to get his driving licence back And he was on the way to losing again.

He was conventionally well-dressed but his shoulders sagged and he spoke wearily.

"I've had a lot of trouble," he explained.

"Domestic trouble. I had to leave home. I pay my wife, who works, $30 a week maintenance. I had a good plumbers business but I lost it.

"My emotional and domestic worries have caused me to drink more. I don't go into hotels anymore. I have a drink at home."

Fane-Thompson, a middle-aged man, of Rayner Street, Altona, lost his licence on a .05 conviction in October, 1972.

He kept on talking about domestic upheaval and how it had caused him to lose his licence in 1968.

"I am concerned about you, Mr. Fane-Thompson," said the magistrate. "You do look ill or as if you have been affected by drink."

"Sir, apart from this trouble, I have been driving a motor car since I was 18," the witness tried again.

Mr. Hoare shook his head. "I'm sorry, Mr. Fane-Thompson, I would be failing in my duty if I let you loose on the roads at present. Come back in three months and apply again.

We're tops again at swimming

Williamstown-Altona district won the Olympic Tyres Cup for the second consecutive year in the recent western division swimming sports for State primary schools.

The points scored in the carnival were: Williamstown - Altona, 44; Footscray, 30; Keilor, 27½; Fawkner, 19; Werribee-Laverton, 15½; Yarraville, 10; Glenroy, 8; Sunshine, 5 and Ascot Vale, 1.

The metropolitan carnival will be held at the Olympic Pool on Tuesday, April 2, at noon.

The results of the western division sports were:

BOYS

Diving, Under 12: S. McFarlane (W/Altona), W. Keenan (Glenroy), T. Tartaglia (Fawkner), S. Trainor (Keilor). **Under 13:** R. Leonard (Glenroy), M. Colledge (Fawkner), N. Proteroe (W/laverton).

Freestyle, Under 10: S. Campbell (Keilor), R. White (W/Altona), P. Howells (Footscray). **Under 11:** R. Liguiera (Fawkner), P. May (Yarraville), S. Molnar (W/Altona). **Under 12:** R. Buckingham (W/Altona), A. Waters (W/Laverton), M. Bloomcamp (Footscray). **Under 13:** D. Latta (Keilor), M. Frame (Yarraville), C. Wilson (W/Laverton).

Backstroke, Under-12: A. Grassby (W/Altona), N. Heathcote (Footscray), J. Delia (Fawkner). **Under-13:** M. Greguric (Yarraville), S. Chisholm (Footscray), B. Turner (W/Altona).

Relay Under-12: W/Altona. **Under-13:** W/Laverton.

Open Div. Champ, 100m.: A. Grassby (W/Altona), N. Heathcote (Footscray), A. Waters (W. Laverton).

GIRLS

Diving, under-12: M. Kirkham (Fawkner), Y. Kay (W/Altona), L. Calus (Yarraville). **Under-13:** C. Austin (Glenroy), C. Martin (Fawkner), S. Milne (W/Laverton).

Freestyle, under-10: M. Finke (W. Altona), L. Chalmers (Keilor), H. McDonald (W. Laverton).

Under-11: L. Schumann (Footscray), J. Walker (W/Altona), S. McLean (W/Laverton. **Under-12:** B. Weldon (W/YLaverton), R. Hallowell (Yarraville), S. Jenkins (Footscray).

Under-13: J. Gugger (Sunshine) L. Roff (Footscray), F. Celotti (Ascot Vale).

Backstroke, Under 12: S. Dahms (Keilor), J. Clarke (Fawkner), M. Bench (Footscray). **Under 13:** G. Langman (Keilor), G. Hodges (Sunshine), S. Capolicchio (Footscray).

Relay, Under 12: Footscray. **Under 13:** W/Altona.

Open Div. champ. 100m: J. Gugger (Sunshine), R. Hallowell (Yarraville), B. Weldon (W/Laverton).

MARCHING GIRLS WIN 18 AWARDS

Marching girl teams from the western suburbs won 18 awards at the Eureka competition at Victoria Park, Daylesford, on Sunday, March 17.

The Altona Ambassadors and the Sunshine Gems in the junior B grade division and the Sunshine Guards in the senior A grade division were the most successful teams, each winning four awards.

The Ambassadors won first prize for both best team and aggregate and third prize for both best leader and best display.

The Gems won first prize for best display and second prize for best leader, best team and aggregate.

The Guards were awarded first prize for best leader and best display and second prize for best team and aggregate.

The Altona Ambers won three medals in the Midget C grade division and second prize for best team, best display and aggregate.

The Footscray Cadets received second prize for best leader and third prize for best display in Midget C grade division.

The Werribee Wyndhams were awarded second prize for best display in Senior C grade division.

Results were: **Midget C grade** — Best leader — Commodores, 94, Footscray Cadets, 108, Bendigo Zodiacs, 107. Best team — Commodores, 266, Altona YC Ambers, 271, Bendigo Zodiacs, 316. Best display — Commodores, 76, Altona YC Ambers, 87, Footscray Cadets, 87. Aggregate — Commodores, 436, Altona YC Ambers 471, Bendigo Zodiacs, 539.

Midget B grade—Best leader — Bendigo Northern Stars, 92, Surrey Park Convairs, 96, Sebastopol YC Royalettes, 109. Best team — Bendigo Northern Stars, 249, Surrey Park Convairs, 294, Sebastopol YC Royalettes, 319. Best display — Bendigo Northern Stars, 62, Surrey Park Convairs, 93, Mildura Cokettes, 110. Aggregate — Bendigo Northern Stars, 403, Surrey Park Convairs, 483, Mildura Cokettes, 547.

Midget A grade — best leader, best team, best display and aggregate — Ballarat Highland Cadets.

Junior C Grade — best leader — Belle Vue Royalettes, 90, Heidelberg Starlites, 101, Echuca Blue Hills, 103. Best team — Surrey Park Valiants, 242, Bendigo Zodiacs, 260, Echuca Blue Hills, 264. Best display — Echuca Blue Hills, 82 Surrey Park Valiants, 82, Bendigo Twilites, 83, Aggregate — Surrey Park Valiants, 430, Belle Vue Royalettes, 440, Echuca Blue Hills 449.

Junior B grade — best leader — Sebastopol YC Royals, 87, Sunshine Gems, 97, Altona Ambassadors, 103. Best team — Altona Ambassadors, 245, Sunshine Gems, 277, Sebastopol YC Royals, 308. Best display — Sunshine Gems, 63, Sebastopol YC Royals, 77, Altona Ambassadors, 78. Aggregate — Altona Ambassadors, 426, Sunshine Gems, 437, Sebastopol YC Royals, 472.

Junior A grade—Best leader, best team, best display, aggregate — Ballarat Balmorals, with 60, 168, 55 and 283 respectively.

Senior C grade — Best leader — Heidelberg Sapphires, 53, Heidelberg Hilites, 64. Best team — Western Stars, 213, Glengarries, 249. Heidelberg Hilities, 262. Best display — Western Stars, 64, Werribee Wyndhams, 75, Glengarries, 80. Aggregate — Western Stars, 380, Glengarries, 393, Heidelberg Sapphires, 410.

Senior B grade — best leader — Mildura Cokettes, 50, Norlane Legionaires, 71, Sebastopol YC Blue Wrens, 77. Best team — Norlane Legionaires, 202, Mildura Cokettes, 206, Sebastopol YC Blue Wrens, 237. Best display — Norlane Legionaires, 66, Mildura Cokettes, 79, Drouin Co-ops, 89. Aggregate — Mildura Cokettes, 335, Norlane Legionaires, 339, Kyabram Youth Club, 399.

Senior A grade — Best leader — Sunshine Guards, 45, Ballarat Highlanders, 59. Best team — Ballarat Highlanders, 162, Sunshine Guards, 192. Best display — Sunshine Guards, 62, Ballarat Highlanders, 70. Aggregate — Ballarat Highlanders, 291, Sunshine Guards, 299.

TPI club has new member

Footscray, Williamstown and Western Suburbs TPI Social Club welcomed a new member — Mr. J. Buss of Footscray — to its meeting last week.

Forty-seven members were present and had an enjoyable afternoon at cards.

Card winners were Mrs. G. Taylor and Mr. R. C. Edwards.

On March 12, club members enjoyed a trip to the Bellerine Peninsula.

The next card afternoon will be held on April 4 at 1.30 p.m. in the Manchester Unity Hall, Footscray.

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Four 'win' scholarships

Four Altona High School students have each received $100 encouragement scholarship from the Altona Petrochemical Company.

Here, the company's process manager, Mr. Geoff Chambers, presents the awards to (from left to right) Mark Johnson (Form III), Frank Orszag (Form V), Brenda Barden (Form V), and Tamara Kolyunski (Form VI).

Pop star opens show

Pop singer, Colleen Hewett will open the 1974 Autumn Rose Show at the Melbourne Town Hall on Friday, April 5.

The show, which is being presented by the National Rose Society of Victoria, will be open from 2-9.30 p.m.

All types of roses will be on display, including the latest varieties of hybrid teas, floribundas and miniatures from overseas hybridists.

Roses will also be featured in floral art arrangements.

Visitors to the show will be able to select their winter plantings from the blooms on display and place their order at the nurserymens' trade displays in the hall.

Another feature of the show will be an information table staffed by expert rosarians who will be happy to answer questions about roses and rose culture.

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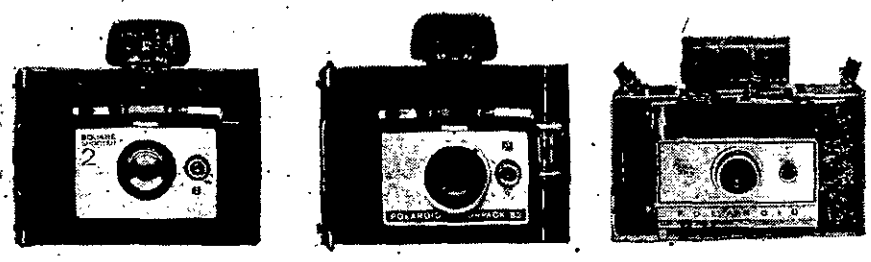

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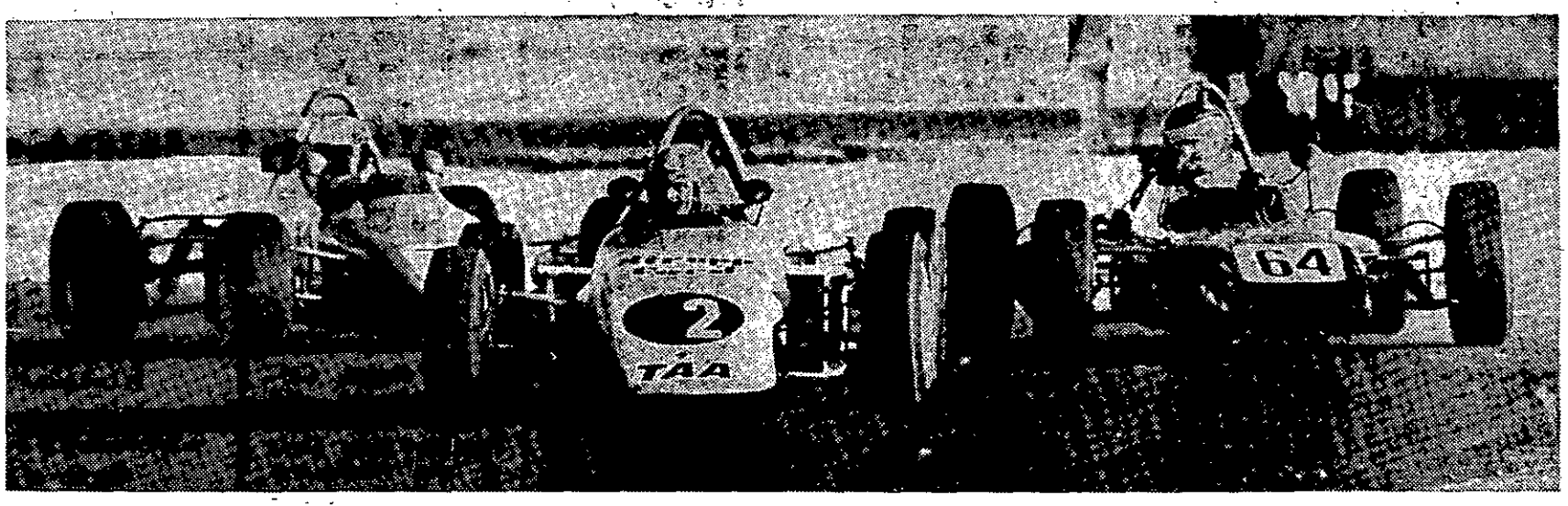

Here's some screaming action as some of the fast ones fight it out.

Terry Perkins' Elfin (2), leads Andrew Meidecke's Birana (64) and Peter Perkins' Elfin (72) around Glo-Weave corner at the recent meeting. Picture — Courtesy of Bruce Keys.

Builder appeals

An appeal by H. and L. Weaver against the refusal by Altona Council to issue a permit for the development of two-storey flats on the north-west corner of the Grieve Parade Blyth Street intersection will be heard by the Town Planning appeals Tribunal on Monday, April 22.

The council refused a permit for the project after receiving several objections from Altona ratepayers.

SEWER FOOD SHOPS

Altona's medical officer of health, Dr. John Leyden, has urged the council to ensure that proprietors of food premises in the Pier St. shopping centre sewer their properties as early as possible, following the completion of sewerage reticulation to the main shopping centre.

In his annual report to the municipality, Dr. Leyden recommended that in respect of food premises, council take vigorous action to ensure proprietors comply with their requirements.

3-months' gaol ended the lads' fun

By John Dixon

It was quite obvious they were — for want of a better term — 'bits of lads', two scruffy-looking types at Footscray Court last Thursday.

For almost three hours they sat in magistrate Mr. R. Freeman's No. 1 court, waiting their turn. And for almost all this time they had a bit of fun.

They joked cheerfully with each other and waved to their mates (both male and female) in the public gallery, who'd obviously come along to lend moral support.

But about 12.45 p.m. the tide turned. **Kevin Muldowney, 37 and Raymond John Whalen, 29,** (alias Milgate, both of Napier Street, Footscray, were sent to the No. 2 court, to face **Mr. Ron Evans and Mr. Wally Smalley, JPs.**

And the laughter disappeared, their faces dropped and their supporters looked gloomy when, after hearing charges of attempted larceny of a car and unlawful possession of a hand drill, Mr. Evans pronounced:

"It is the determination of this court that you be sentenced to three months' imprisonment."

Actually, the seriousness of the charges came as something of a surprise.

On their cheery behavior, I'd have bet London to a brick they were on street offences . . . drunk and disorderly, or perhaps offensive behavior.

Actually, they began having their fun from the Press table.

Overflowed

There were so many prisoners that they overflowed from the wooden prisoners' bench to the padded Press seat, forcing your correspondent to swipe a chair from the Bar table and sit at the end of the Press table.

Kevin and Ray were among those on the padded seat, and after most had been dealt with — only three prisoners were left in court — they continued to occupy the Press seat and table.

They alternately lounged across the table or used it as a resting place for their chin-supporting arms, as they joked continually between themselves and their mates . . .

Until Footscray police chief prosecutor, Senior-Sergeant Alf Barnham, had the chance to order them to move along.

In the No. 2 court, Kevin pleaded not guilty to both charges and Ray pleaded guilty to both.

Mr. William Ernest Porter, of Agg Street, Newport, said he parked his car in the Irving Street, Footscray public car park about 5.30 p.m. on March 14.

As he was returning, about 10.15 p.m., he saw two men at the car, called to them and began to run.

The two ran and he got to the car and chased them in it.

Caught

He caught Ray first and he said he had nothing to do with it. Then he caught Kevin, who had a and drill in is hand and took both to Footscray police station.

The left-hand front vent window of his car was broken.

Under cross-examination, by Ray, he said he saw both he and Kevin at the car.

To Kevin, he said, the fairer of the two men was behind the steering wheel.

Kevin had thick, fairish hair. Ray's was pitch black.

Kevin asked: "Do you mind if I go and put some hair oil and water on my . . ."

The Bench did mind.

Mr. Porter agreed with Kevin's submission he (Mr. Porter), told Kevin if he gave him $20, he would not take him to the "jack shop".

Mr. Raymond Chandler, of Rennison St., Braybrook, gave evidence he was with Mr. Porter and the evidence Mr. Porter had given was correct.

To questions by Kevin, he said he had been at a hotel that night, but denied his vision was blurred and said the fairer of the two men had been in the car, behind the steering wheel.

Sergeant R. J. Hinton, of Footscray police, who prosecuted, gave evidence he was on duty when Mr. Porter took Kevin and Ray to the police station.

He saw the broken car window and found a hand drill on the floor of the back seat. There was on the handle of the jack and the floor of the car, and Kevin had a cut hand.

When he interviewed Ray later, he admitted breaking the vent window with a brick.

He said he intended taking the car to where he lived, in Napier St., Footscray.

And — it was a blow obvious on Kevin's face — he said Kevin was with him, Sgt. Hinton said.

Ray wasn't giving up easily.

"You made me answer those questions," he told the sergeant, bitterly.

Sgt. Hinton denied it.

Ray agreed he signed the record of interview and added "Worst luck." He agreed when asked by Mr. Evans it was his signature on the documents the sergeant produced.

When he interviewed Kevin he said he intended typing the questions and answers, as he had with Ray and asked would Kevin sign it if it was a correct record, Sgt. Hinton said.

Kevin had replied: "I don't sign nothin'."

He claimed the only time he was near the car was when he walked past, saw a door open, and closed it.

Only offer

He knew Ray, as Ray Milgate, but all he knew of the alleged attempted car theft was that when Mr. Porter caught him, he offered him $20 to pay for the broken window and said if he paid this, he would not take him to the "jack shop".

Kevin had said he asked Mr. Porter "what window?" when he caught him and asked for the $20.

Asked again to sign the record of interview, Kevin had refused, "because I don't write too good."

About 9.10 a.m. March 15 he showed Kevin the drill, Sergeant Hinton said. Kevin said he had never seen it before.

Constable C. H. Penno, of Footscray, gave evidence he was on duty with Sergeant Hinton and corroborated the sergeant's evidence.

So ended the police case and Mr. Evans and Mr. Smalley gave Ray the chance to comment of his guilty plea.

"I was pretty full when it happened," Ray said. "I can't remember much about it."

"I just smashed the window of the car and jumped in."

On oath

Kevin elected to go into the witness box and give sworn evidence in his defence.

He said he and Ray were going to work, about 9.35 p.m. on March 14 and he had to see his mate, so they separated.

He cut across the car park and saw a car door open, so closed it. Then he heard a yell and saw two men running towards him, so ran.

What with all the bashings that have been goin' on in the west, and there bein' two of them, I ran," he told the court.

He did not know "me mate, Ray was in the car that caught me".

To Sgt. Hinton, he said he was about 8 ft. from the car when Mr. Porter yelled at him.

Sgt. Hinton: Where was Ray at this stage?

Kevin: I never seen him.

He said he did not see Ray between closing the car door and getting into Mr. Porter's car after he was caught.

He was at least 8 ft. from the car when Mr. Porter called to him, he told the court, "no worries in the world."

He agreed with Sgt. Hinton he said to Mr. Porter, "give us a go?"

Sgt. Hinton: Why did you say that?

Kevin: It's just a figure of speech, I guess.

Mr. Evans said there was insufficient evidence to convict either man on the unlawful possession charge.

He asked was there "anything known" about the two men.

Sgt. Hinton read a list of Kevin's alleged court appearances, going back to 1958 and including illegal use of a car, stealing car parts, unlicensed driving and assault.

To allegations of county court charges in March, 1970, of larceny and housebreaking, Kevin commented: "I think there's a mistake there, Sergeant, It was 1969."

Ray's record went back only to 1964 and included court appearances on charges of receiving, false pretences and unlawful possession.

After Mr. Evans had announced the bench's decision, Kevin had one last try.

"Could you make it a three months bond and put us under the 'black act'," he pleaded.

Mr. Evans said he could apply to a higher court. The bench ordered also Kevin and Ray pay $32 costs.

But when Mr. Evans asked was there any hope of the costs being paid, Ray and Kevin chorused a clear, loud, "NO".

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RED CROSS DRIVE RAISES $2344

The Red Cross annual call for funds raised $2344 in Williamstown.

This represents $80 more than was raised last year although heavy rain on Sunday prevented the canvassing of some areas.

Mr. H. Whittaker, chairman of the appeal committee thanks all who helped, whether as callers or donors, in what has become an annual event in Williamstown.

Williamstown's Mayor, Cr. Bert Clancy, also thanks residents for their co-operation.

In keeping with tradition, the mayor helped sort and count the money.

Anyone who was not called on, may send a gift to Red Cross headquarters, Flinders St., Melbourne, or drop it in to the Williamstown town hall.

Travel for 'singles'

An organisation — the Singles Travel Club — has been formed to help single people, including widows, widowers, separated or divorced people to make new friends.

A club spokesman, Mr. Dan Mulcahy, said arrangements were being made for weekend tours, with a former organiser of similar trips, Mr. Jim Hayward, in charge.

The club's first social weekend will be at Marysville in April.

People interested should telephone 29 7247 or write to Mr. Mulcahy at 574a High Street, East Prahran, 3181.

Altona 'war' on litter

Altona Council plans an all-out beautification and anti-litter drive in the municipality.

The mayor-shire president, Cr. R. K. Richards, said the drive would start on Monday (April 1).

Cr. Richards said his council fully supported "Keep Australia Beautiful Week", to be staged throughout the nation next week, (April 1 to 7).

"It is the launching pad in a concept designed to make everyone conscious of their environmental responsibilities to this country, all year round," he added.

Cr. Richards appealed to everyone to undertake a small task to assist the week long campaing.

"Whether it is planting a tree, painting a fence or joining in a clean-up or anit-litter drive in their own street — anything and everything will help," he added.

He said the council had entered the $1000 Golden Broom Award ($1000 donated by Philip Morris Limited, will be paid to the council judged to have done most during the week) and had a number of beautification and anit-litter projects in hand.

"Australians are now more conscious of the need to preserve the environmental assets for our own use and for the future use of our children."

"I would not like to be running any company or organisations which, in the future, does not pay due heed to the needs of the environment," he warned.

Cr. Richards said that as citizens become more conscious and collectively more powerful, they would be able to exert pressures, backed by legislation, which would ensure the protection of the environment.

Companies and other bodies whose operations endanger their surroundings will have to live with the direct confrontation of citizens and possible boycott of their operations if they continually disregard environmental considerations.

Cr. Richards said recent surveys conducted by the Keep Australia Beautiful Council had shown environmental protection and beautification were high on the list of social concerns held by most citizens.

"Previously people were prepared to live in a tatty street, see beautiful trees replaced by ugly buildings and let unsightly hoardings interrupt a landscape.

"But today this is no longer the case as people care about their own gardens, the provision of adequate recreation areas and the appearance of public buildings and places.

"The week provides the ideal opportunity for all citizens, either individually or in groups, to actively undertake some project, big or small, in their own home or in a public place.

These projects could include planting trees, removng junk piles, repairing fences, grooming nature strips, repairing the mail box, tearing down disused and unsightly buildings, burning trash, cleaning up the children's play ground, and other activities.

"The co-operation of every able bodied person in one week could transform complete districts, Cr. Richards said.

Cr. Richards said the Golden Broom Award, conducted by the KABC, gave our community the opportunity of winning $1000 for our efforts.

"I will ensure the money is distributed to the most worthy cause or causes in the area."

RATES DUE

Ratepayers in Altona are reminded that rates are due by April 10. Rates not received by that date will be subject to interest payments.

DRAMATIC INVITE

Altona mayor, Cr. Ray Richards and Altona councillors have been invited to attend Altona Drama Group's first production for the year in the Civic Hall from Monday, May 27, to Wednesday, May 29.

The play, Ladies in Retirement, is being produced by Mr. Jack McGuckian.

STUDENT'S GUIDE TO SCIENCE

Science, like other school subjects, is undergoing change both in terms of what is being taught and methods of teaching. The new courses and what is happening in both primary and secondary science classes is the subject of a special lift-out to be published in "The Age" on Friday. Prepared by "The Age" in conjunction with education authorities, this four-page Science Guide looks at the Australian science education project; what it comprises and how it is going. Another article reports on the biology course being taught this year and further reports examine developments that have taken place in the curricula and the teaching of science in primary school. There's also an introduction to the new Environmental Science course being piloted this year.

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The annual meeting of the West Metro Region Extension Auxiliary will be held on Tuesday, April 23 at 7.45 p.m. at Peter Frazer Hall, Barkly Street, Footscray.

Miss Guilefoyle will be guest speaker.

The auxiliary works solely for the handicapped Ranger Guides of the region and its project is the procuring of a minibus to provide transport for the girls.

It is a very small group but a strong one.

As it is the only one in the region it would appreciate the support of the guide movement throughout the region.

New members to guiding who may not have heard of the auxiliary's existence, are invited to attend the annual meeting.

The auxiliary is holding a stall on Friday, May 3, at 9 a.m. outside Forges in Footscray.

This stall is an annual event and the proceeds go direct to the mini-bus fund.

Anyone who can help in any way by providing something for the stall or by coming along on May 3, will be very welcome.

STORIES of PNG

Williamstown Hospital Activities Club will have a guest speaker on New Guinea at its next meeting on Monday, April 1, in the hospital board room.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay, who recently made a comprehensive tour of New Guinea, will illustrate their talk with slides.

Admission is 40 cents. Proceeds will go to the current appeal for the Home for the Frail Aged.

WCC gala result

Results of the special effort at Williamstown Cricket Club's end of season gala night at the Masonic hall last Wednesday: 1st, D. Martin (no. 72) c/-Esso, Spotswood; 2nd Tom McLeod (53) c/-WCC,; 3rd G. Turner (146), Maribyrnong.

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The name Argana was chosen because it means "pleasure and joy" which the women hope to feel while giving pleasure and joy to people less fortunate than themselves.

Much help has been given through the year in various ways and representatives have attended functions.

Baby clothes and rugs have been made as well as varied collections of stocking and wool labels and such. The guild hopes to continue these efforts next year.

The guide choir was most enjoyable and they put a lot of effort into entertaining the women.

Guild members are asked to note that the next meeting will be on April 16 at 6 Horeham Court, St. Albans.

Tenders for new dredge

The Harbour Trust has called for tenders for a new bucket ladder dredge. Mr. Gordon Stirling, MLA for Williamstown, has been told this in answer to a question to the Minister for Public Works.

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Willy aths results good

Three teams of the Williamstown Athletic Club came fourth in the final day of the Premiership Grand Finals at Box Hill last Saturday.

The under 14 team come fifth.

In the B grade team, Brian Davidson came third in both the 100m (11.1) and the 110m hurdles, and also won the triple jump (14.38).

V. Balodis took second place in both the discus and the shot put.

Terry Phelan was second (4 min ;1.9) with Eero Keranan third (4.04) in the first heat of the 1500m.

In the second heat, John Handley won on 4 min 05.4

Best personal performances were put in by Shane Dooley (51.9) in the 400m, and Eero Keranen (9 min 32.7) in the 300m steeple.

D GRADE

Bob Hoare, competing in the D grade team, won both the shot put (10.15m) and the discus (32.85m).

In the 100m heats, Shane Dooley won his heat in 11.7. Robert O'Sullivan was second (12.1), and Mark Forster third (12.0).

Greg McVicar was second in the triple jump with 39 ft. 2 in.

Kevin Esmore came in third (4 min. 30.5) in his heat of the 1500m. Greg McVicar was second (53.7) in his heat of the 400m, and Tony Gaggino was third (53.0) in another heat.

UNDER 17

In the under 17 grade, John Van Den Oever won both the polevault (3.03 m) and the shot put (15.65m). He also came third in the discus (35.72m).

Steve Mulholland was third in the 1500m with a time of 4 min. 12.8.

Paul Jamieson came second in the 100m in 11.5 and, in the 400m, set a new club record of 51.9.

The three sprinters in the under 14 team, Stuart Bazga, Chris Lowden and Paul Sinnott, all came third in their respective heats of the 100m.

In the shot put Chris Lowden came first with a distance of 11.36m.

In the 1500m Steve Hardeman ran a personal best time of five minutes.

Swim title hopes

Three members of the Newport Swimming Club will represent Victoria in the National Age Titles at Hobart at the end of this month.

They are Geraldine Murphy, 13, of Hannan Street, Williamstown; Philip Shrives, 12, of Rush Court, Altona; and Steven Smith, of Maddox Road, Newport.

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Balmy air, a gentle breeze . . . then thunder and lighting, driving wind and pelting rain . . . a pitch more like a skating rink than a football ground.

That's a part of the story of the VFA practice game between Williamstown and Coburg at the seaside ground on Sunday.

The rest is almost too painful to tell the faithful of Williamstown. Coburg, relegated last year from the first division, beat 'Town convincingly and, after quarter-time, were on top in almost every part of the field.

The ball became like a greasy pig but the Coburgers handled it with confidence and brought off chains of passes by hand and foot.

Some of the Gulls didn't seem to want it at all, perhaps thinking, like a mutinous sepoy, that a greasy pig is unclean.

If there was any sunshine for Williamstown, it was in the first quarter when **"Jumbo" Hynes** kicked two quick goals, big **Glen Joseph**, from North, moved encouragingly well, ***"Sticks" Fanning*** was looking good and the side was teaming reasonably well.

Then the rains came. The local lads forgot that the objects of the exercise is to get to the ball first. In attack, quickly and surely put it in the hands of a team-mate in a better position; in defence, to go like hell to get every opponent covered.

THE 16 TEST

Newcomers **Michael Dixon** (ruck), **Terry Archer** (centre) and **John Stewart** (roving) showed flashes flashes of form but it was their first real 16-a-side game. And, as people from those crowded 18s find out quickly, VFA footy can make great demands.

One early prediction is that Stewart will be a rover when we're firing with live ammunition. He's a quick thinker, fast mover, can feint, baulk, turn and kick straight.

Captain-coach **Barry Gill** didn't rave at lads who've proved often enough they're not faint-hearted, but he did deplore what he called their "holding-back".

One of our generals, a pompous martinet, used to say: "There may be a reason, soldier . . . but there's no excuse!"

Well, looking at the ground you quickly got an inkling of the reason lads were not committing hari-kiri — it looked just too easy to be the first casualties of the campaign.

Tony Hanneberry, one of the Seagulls' real commandos, was the only injured player; he went off at half-time with a bruised instep, but he should be dashing around normally in a few days.

Gill gave **racehorse** Bob Percy a run in the centre after half time, but Bob was not quite himself. Perhaps he prefers running to swimming.

BILLY FOR BEST

Bill "The Rock" Thompson gave his usual four quarters of fearless, no-foolin' footy. Billy for Best is our verdict and everybody else seemed to think the same thing.

"Rags" Radziminksy ran himself ragged, kicked a goal, showed that he's got as much spirit as a vat of vodka. But even "Rags" was below his best in handling.

The new vice -captain, **Les Stillman** didn't play. Williamstown always misses the chess-master who thinks two moves ahead.

The conditions weren't the best for **Barry Gill.** And how a captain - coach manages to mind an opponent, kick, mark and think constructively, while trying to keep a tactical hold on his team and sort out the sheep from the goats is beyond us.

Neil Courtot deserves a pat . . . **Geoff Walsh** got a good goal. **Ron Fenton** struggled hard under the hail of rain and shots for goal.

And, the unkindest cut of all, had twice to do a route march to retrieve the ball in the distant west. Even the boldest and best-fortified spectators had long before bolted for cover.

HULLO, A FIND!

The Seagulls' seconds were the good news. They ran away from Coburg.

The lad who made them shake their heads (in approval) was **Peter Aughton**, playing in the centre. Peter, 20, is from St. Bernard's Old Collegians (Tony Hanneberry's old side). He has been a State representative and was named an "all-Australian." Well Peter, if you're another Hanna, please stick around.

Richard Evans got seven goals at full forward and **Gary Richards,** roving, notched five.

SCORES

Coburg 1-3; 2-8; 3-11; 5-15—45pts.

Williamstown 3-4; 3-6; 3-9; 4-11 — 35 pts.

W'town goalkickers: Hynes 2, Radziminsky, Walsh.

Bad news for robbers

When there was still sun to light the scene, Williamstown locals were happy to see two "old" familiar faces in the Seconds side.

Robert ("Penny") Lane and **Ron ("Soupy") Viney,** two former first XVI players, who have returned to the bracing atmosphere of the seaside oval.

They did some rucking and went pretty well. The old heads said that their position and team play was top-odds — the result of spells as coaches.

"Penny", a member of the Victoria Police Force, coached at Lake Boga for two years. Now he's back at Russell Street as a senior detective with the armed-robbery squad.

He's always been a gentleman on the field, but if we decided to get into the armed robbery caper we'd be dodging the Pennies and looking for the pounds.

"Soupy," a local electrician, coached Spotswood last year. He's a big, raw-boned fellow and could hand out a few shocks.

Gaelic player joins city

Young Irishman, Tommy Mageean, had never played Australian Rules until Sunday.

However, after an outstanding performance in the Altona City Football Club's practice match, senior coach, Mal Tisdale, is confident he has a ready made footballer.

Mageean has played Irish Gaelic football, a game similar in many ways to Australian Rules.

And the club is confident that once he learns a few of the finer points of the Australian game, he has enough natural ability to make the grade.

Under 13 and under 11 City teams were too strong for the newly-formed junior teams from the Altona Central Club.

When they met in practice matches last Saturday.

Following amalgamation with the Rovers, City has an abundance of boys in the young age groups, but is still looking for players for the under 17 team.

The team trains under coach, Bob Jones on Tuesday and Thursday evenings at Grant Reserve.

Altona City will be depending a lot on last year's League Best and Fairest and 100 plus goal kicker, Ron Schwabe, (pictured).

Youngsters are future stars

The newly-formed Central Altona Under 11 football team played its first practice match against Altona City on Saturday.

Although the team was beaten, many players showed they will be stars of the future.

Outstanding players were Kurt Schuster, Norman Lee, Chris Edwards, Bill Genning and Eddie Simoni.

The Under 13s were also beaten on Saturday.

Coach, Bill Kennedy commented: "Although well beaten by fast play-on football, I was pleased with the performance of the team.

"Players contested the ball at all times.

"With a few extra games under their belt, I'm sure that Central Under 13s will be a force through the season. With a little more dedication from parents, the flag of 1974 is not an impossibility."

Best players were R. Harris, I. Burchill, J. Toyikas, Con Papadopoulos, and Darren Templer.

FIERCE CONTEST

Coach, Murray Sayers was very pleased with Saturday's Reserves game.

The game was fiercely contested and well thought out. Altona lost by nine points.

Outstanding players were John Connors, Kevin Gilchrist, Jim Brenon, M. Kizan, and Frank Tedsca.

Central Altona Seniors had the upper hand in the first half of Saturday's game although a change of wind saw them kicking against the breeze in the first two quarters.

Central was unable to sustain its fast play-on game after half time when the rain made the ground a quagmire.

Best players were Bill Kennedy, Ken Collins, Alf Sturnicks, K. Gilchrist, and Danny Grey.

Altona bowls them over

Sixteen determined bowlers, spurred on by an enthusiastic gallery of supporters, won the day for Altona in the quarter final of Division B5.

The game was played on a rain-affected but well-prepared green at Ormond Park against Caulfield Central RSL.

Altona got away to an early lead.

After 10 ends they were leading 43-23.

The final score was 97-72.

PACEMAKERS WERE Les Spackman, Chas McDonald, Jim Carr and Noel Richardson (s).

They led 33-8 at the 22nd end but lost a 5 and a 3 to eventually win 34-16.

Other rink scores were: R. Turner, A. Burkitt, W. Inglis and L. Parker (s), 25-16; A. Webster, H. Blair, L. Thorneycroft and L. Truman (s), 24-17 and N. Cartwright, D. Nicholls, A. Stephenson and D. Brett (s), 14-23.

The B5 and the Division 3 reserve sides will contest the semi-finals next Saturday.

Baseball

The Williamstown Baseball Club will play practice matches against Flemington on the Williamstown ground, Strand reserve, on Sunday, March 31.

Junior games (under 13-15-17) will begin at 10. Senior games will follow a barbecue lunch that will begin at noon.

All people interested are invited to watch the games and have lunch.

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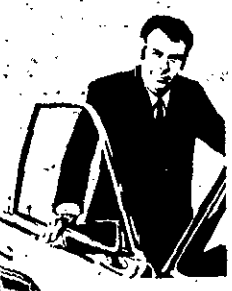

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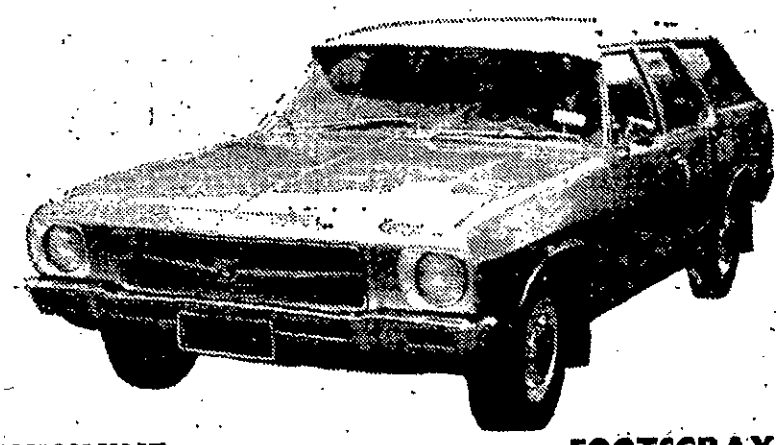

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69 Falcon XW GT Sedan 351 V8 motor, manual transmission, red exterior **$4250**

72 Valiant VH XL Charger Coupe, man. Bronze duco, bone interior, disc brakes **$2980**

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71 Datsun 1600 S/Wagon, manual. Blue duco, black interior, radio, heater/demister **$2450**

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71 Fairlane ZD V8 Sedan, auto. Green duco, brown interior, radio, heater/demister **$3660**

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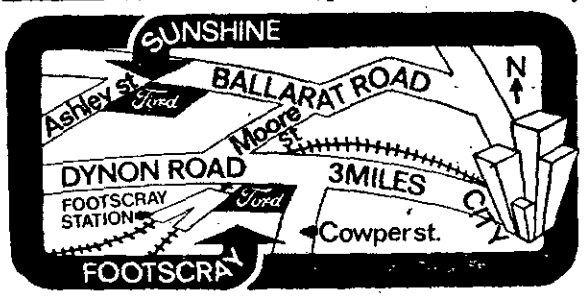

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